

33. The method of claim 30, further comprising a non-aqueous solvent.
34. The method of claim 33, wherein the non-aqueous solvent is selected from the group consisting of diethylene glycol monoethyl ether (DGME) and ethanol.
35. The method of claim 30, further comprising a gelling agent.
36. The method of claim 35, wherein the gelling agent is hydroxypropylcellulose.
37. The method of claim 30, wherein the composition is administered in a form selected from the group consisting of a gel, a solution, an ointment and a spray.
38. The method of claim 37, wherein the composition is administered in the form of a gel.

REMARKS

To facilitate prosecution, Applicants have canceled claims 1 and 18 and added new claims 19-38. Support for new claims 19-38 can be found throughout the specification and claims as filed. New claims 19-38 have been added for the purpose of more clearly defining a structured embodiment, no subject matter is being disclaimed or abandoned and no new matter has been added by these amendments. New claims 19-38 remove all multiple dependencies from the claims, and place all claims in condition for examination on their merits. These new claims 19-38 avoid payment of the surcharge for filing a multiple-dependent claims.

Applicants respectfully requests entry of this preliminary amendment before examination of the application.

Respectfully submitted,



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